

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

GERALD L. RIGHETTI,

No. C-11-2717 EMC (pr)

Plaintiff,

v.

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF  
CORRECTIONS AND  
REHABILITATION, *et al.*,

Defendants.

**ORDER REFERRING PLAINTIFF TO  
FEDERAL PRO BONO PROJECT AND  
STAYING PROCEEDINGS PENDING  
APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL**

Plaintiff's motion for appointment of counsel is **GRANTED**. The Plaintiff having requested and being in need of counsel to assist him in this matter, and good and just cause appearing, Plaintiff is referred to the Federal Pro Bono Project in the manner set forth below so that an attorney may be located for him:

(1) The Clerk shall forward to the Federal Pro Bono Project: (a) a copy of this order, (b) a memorandum outlining the facts and procedural posture of the action, and (c) a copy of the Court file.

(2) Upon an attorney being located to represent Plaintiff, that attorney shall be appointed as counsel for Plaintiff in this matter until further order of the Court.

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(3) All proceedings in this action are stayed until four weeks from the date an attorney is appointed to represent Plaintiff in this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 18, 2012

  
EDWARD M. CHEN  
United States District Judge